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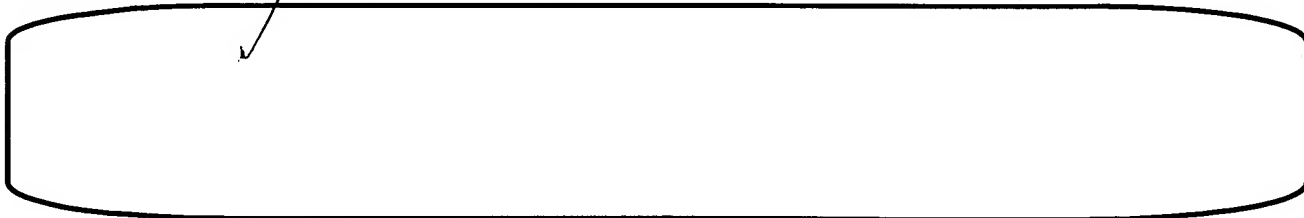
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Group Art Unit	2932
Examiner Name	Marina Fishman
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Appl. No.:	10/529,499	Group:	2832
Filed:	January 17, 2006	Examiner:	Marina Fishman
For:	ARRANGEMENT COMPRISING A LOW VOLTAGE POWER SWITCH AND A SWITCHING GAS DAMPER PROVIDED WITH A CARRIER ELEMENT AND USED FOR THE LOW VOLTAGE POWER SWITCH		

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March 26, 2008

**COMMENTS ON THE EXAMINER'S  
STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, provided with the Notice of Allowance dated December 26, 2007, Applicants submit the following comments.

The Examiner offers several reasons why the claims of the present application are allowable over the prior art of record. Although Applicants agree that the various claimed limitations mentioned in the claims are not taught or suggested by the prior art taken either singly or in combination, Applicants wish to emphasize that it is each claim, taken as a whole, including the interrelationships and interconnections between various claimed elements which is allowable over the prior art of record.